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Commissioners to Ask Congress to Take Action.

AWAIT TEST CASE VERDICT

Mr. Macfarland Gives Out Statement Believes Whatever Amendment to

Commissioner Macfarland said yesterday that he was only waiting for the de- ing at 11 o'clock. cision of the Court of Appeals, in the test case which it is now considering, as to betting at Benning race track, before asking the Commissioners to recommend to Congress whatever legislation is neces sary to make the anti-gambling laws absolutely effective at Benning race track. "Until the Court of Appeals makes its lecision," he said, "it cannot be determined what amendment of the law may be necessary, but whatever amend- Drew Little Girl from Track in Time ment is necessary, should, of course, be

"This is what Gov. Hughes has recommended in New York and is what the Commissioners will doubtless agree to recommend here. For every reason rack gambling.

"The business men of Washington stop- a six-year-old girl. nfluence upon so many men.

clute abolition of race track and other danger of being run down.

that the District government would do Washington, declare that it was a mirated with attempting to the speaker with attempti of Columbia, and that I was anxious to but escaped serious injury. The child was see the betting at Benning entirely wiped uninjured. After an investigation of the Joe, lest we forget.

but I am informed that the major and medal of honor. superintendent of police has made cases at every meeting at the Benning race track except that of last autumn, and has brought them to the attention of the strict attorney, and that he refrained rom making arrests at the last autumn tated to the Commissioners in charge of the police department that it was inad-

of course, the only officer who can prose- dissatisfied persons. the authority of the Commissioners. I assume that he has done his am told that his prosecutions have abol- plaints. ished some forms of gambling at the race track, and that if the Court of Appeals sustains the prosecutions in the pending case, the whole business will be broken up, If the Court of Appeals holds that the law is not sufficient for this, I shall

LOCAL MENTION.

EXCURSIONS TO-DAY. restry evering in the year at 6:30.

To Rock Creek Bridge, Zoological Park, Chery Chase, and Kensington—Cars from Fifteenth street and New York avenue every fifteen minture.

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Choice Potatoes, 20c Pk.;

Charged with Embezzlement. Henry A. Porter, the young man who was indicted for embezzlement, fled to Canada, and was brought back here on extradition papers by Inspector Board-Merritt, Washington, D. C.; official edman, was yesterday arraigned before Jus-tice Barnard and remanded to jail to historian, E. H. Cole, Somerville, Mass.; await trial. Porter is charged with embezzlement by the manager of Irving K. Farrington & Co., stock brokers, of this

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Will Resume Club Nights. The University Club will resume its eries of regular weekly club nights this vening, when its members will hear a short address on "American opportunities

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Committee from Navy Yard to Meet

Assistant Secretary Newberry.

A committee composed of members of the Machinists' Association of the navy yard will hold a conference to-day with Assistant Secretary of the Navy Newberry, to discuss the increase in the wages

of the machinists employed at the navy yard. Secretary Newberry recently approved and announced an increase in the wages in all the sixteen classes of men employed at the navy yard, but there has Concerning Gambling at Benning. of increase in the wages of the ma-

E. L. Tucker, of the general executive Present Law Is Needed Shall Be board of the Machinists' Association, and Made-Wants Betting "Wiped Out." James O'Connell, general treasurer of the association, yesterday called on Secretary Newberry and made arrangements for the conference, which will be held this morn-

President Awards Life - savers' Trophy to Railroad Man.

and Was Injured While Saving Her.

President Roosevelt has awarded a gambling should be stopped, and, of the railroad life-saving medal to Edward A. proval of Mr. Cannon, sent the following and women in the bureau were working different forms of gambling, that which McGrath, of Milwaukee, a station agent letter to the president of the government, that that man Gom is most expensive to the community, both of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul of Labor: n money and in ruined lives, is the race- Railway Company, who, on August 26,

circumstances connected with the case

REAL ESTATE VALUES FIXED.

day to Hear Objections,

The triennial assessment of real estate was completed yesterday by the three

board duty in prosecuting the cases submitted meet in room 21, District Building, on gagement for him for that hour and date to him by the police department, and I Monday to hear objections and com- At 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon, the com

The law providing for the establishto less than three or four thousand.

of April, 1908, and every third year there-

AMATEUR EDITORS MEET.

Elect Officers and Decide to Convene Here Next Year.

The third annual convention of the Atantic Coast Amateur Press Association ended here yesterday after the election in and efforts in behalf of this legisla-

ers elected were as follows: President, J. W. Smith, Heights, N. J.; vice president, C. N. Russell, Philadelphia; secretary, J. T. Mclaureate recorder, H. B. Pratt, Brooklyn, N. Y.; directors, Mrs. E. B. Swift, New York City; J. Ray Spink, Philadelphia, and George J. Houtain, Brooklyn, N. Y.

FUNERAL OF MR. SCHOFIELD.

Died of Pneumonia Contracted While Making Calls with Fiancee.

The funeral of Charles E. Schodeld, who died New Year's Eve from an attack of pneumonia which he contracted Alexander, pastor of West Street Presbyterian Church, of which the deceased was member, conducted the services. Messrs, Harry Pimper, Lawrence Poore, Lucien Swindells, Richard Waddy, Spen-cer Pyles, and Edward Haneke acted as allbearers. Interment was in Rock Creek Cemetery.

Mr. Schofield died less than a month before the date set for his marriage with Miss Ethel Magruder, who is, naturally prostrated. The couple were widely by John Barrett. The usual buttet lunchknown in Georgetown.

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His life was like a sunny ray That warmed the precincts of the day And made the heart feel light and gay With sweet celestial, mystic sway.

In street and field, in vale and wood, He lived for human brotherbood; And ever worked the best he could, For love and truth he understood.

The poor and weak he helped along As genial as a summer song, And never stooped to fear or wrong, But ever brave and kind and strong.

Grand Masonry he loved with zest,
And from the East winto the West
He ever did his Level best
To entertain each Brother guest!
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WOULD END RACING CONFER ON MACHINISTS' PAY. RAPS GOMPERS AGAIN

Speaker's Secretary Shows His Statements Wrong.

BUSBEY WRITES TO LEADER

been some controversy over the amount Replies to Attack Upon Mr. Cannon's Character and Offers to Prove that Labor President Went Wide of the Truth in Editorial Printed in Labor Organization's Official Organ,

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, apparently does not read the newspapers very CRIPPLE GIVEN HERO MEDAL carefully; at least this is indicated by the fact that L. White Busbey, secretary to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, has caught the labor leader napping, and as a result has added one more document to the archives of the Cannon-Gompers fight, in which Mr. Gompers is apparently trying to end the Speaker's political career by arraying the they would be relieved from the present

1907, saved the life of Emma Hummich, Cannon. Lest we Forget,' in the January and try an appeal to his better nature bed the Jackson City gambling, because While McGrath and a number of other you make some statements as facts that some action by which so large a number they felt strongly the effect of the temp- persons were standing on the station are not in harmony with your expres- of hard working, deserving government ation to which it subjected business men platform at Milwaukee, the crossing gates sion of opinion that It is impossible for employes might be saved from having and their employes, and its demoralizing being closed for the passage of a train, the politician of the Cannon stripe to conlittle Miss Hummich attempted to cross celve that there are some, yes, a large stroyed?' Has Been Active Before. A the track in front of an approaching and constantly growing number of men, 'As a member of the Board of Trade, train. McGrath, who is a cripple, shout- who, true to a principle, true to a cause, that call and an appeal to the more hutook part in that effort, and I have ed to her to stand back, but she failed to true to their fellows, would scorn to mane side of Mr. Cannon, the committee never ceased since to advocate the ab- heed his warning and was in imminent stoop to a dishonest or dishonorable act, forgot that part of the programme. But gambling in and near the District of McGrath ran to the little girl's aid the interest and progress of the workers.' described as men who would not stoop and at great risk to himself succeeded in "I assume that you place yourself in to a dishonorable act, and if they had

July 20, 1907, when I was quoted as saying fair, according to reports received in act, and that you would not do what you structions and delivered his appeal. I to break up all gambling in the District struck by the pilot beam of the engine, but escaped serious intury. The child was "And yet it is only twenty days since

of the Speaker's remarks. Let me re. keep a scrap book-'lest we forget. spectfully call your attention to those Equalization Board to Meet on Mon- press reports, and to the incident re

Quotes the Real Facts.

"On Thursday, Dec. 5, Mr. Charles T. assistant assessors of the District, who Smith, editor of the Plate Printer, called isable to do so pending the decision of will make their report to Assessor Grif- at the Speaker's room and requested that the Court of Appeals on the test case fin, as directed by law, in a few days. As that had been made at the spring meet-there is always a large number of per-committee of Local, No. 2, of the International Extension Courses Planned for Study sons who object to the reassessment the tional Steel Copper Plate Printers' Union law provides for a board of equalization to call and pay their respects and thank "The United States district attorney is, and review to hear the complaints of him for the work he had done to benefit the craft. Mr. Smith said that this comcute such cases, and he is not in any If these show good cause why the re- mittee would prefer to call on Saturday Illustrated Musical Lecture, Armakes a readjustment. This board will consulting Mr. Cannon, I made an enmittee from the plate printers called on Mr. Cannon, were introduced by Mr. Smith, and the president of the union, ment of this board also provides that it Mr. William D. Leissler, presented a series complete its labors by the first Monday of resolutions. These resolutions. These of June, 1908. As it is necessary that resolutions recited that Mr. Cannon's sucthe board hear all the protestants and cess in having the sundry civil approthat the completed assessment be return- priation bill amended in 1899, to provide the law is not sufficient for this, I shall ask the Commissioners to ask Congress to make it sufficient."

ed to the office of the assessor by July 1, that a certain class of revenue stamps to make it sufficient."

1908, It has only a month in which to hear all the cases, which never amount to less than three or four thousand. and bonds should be similarly made, as This is practically impossible, and a well as his having, in February, 1903, at bill will be introduced in Congress at an the request of the plate printers' execu-To Fort Monroe, Norfolk, Newport News, and all points South-Norfolk and Washington steamers viding that all appeals must hereafter be filed with the board of equalization amendment to the deficiency appropriation being the filed with the board of equalization to bill, then pending in the House, through which the plate printers were and review on or before the first Monday through which the plate printers were and review on or before the first Monday are at burden of taxathon. relieved from a great burden of taxathor upon their earnings, had not only resulted in a high standard of printing for the government securities, but had also given to the plate printers' craft a uniform and nbroken prosperity during nearly a de-

Expressed Their Confidence,

"The resolutions expressed the grati tude of the plate printers for this interest of officers and the selection of this city tion, and expressed their confidence in Tomatoes, 7c and 8c can; salmon, 9c and 10c can; hams, 13½c; picnics, 9½c; br. bacon, 12½c; pineapple wafers, 10c can; prunes, 8; India relish, 8c bottle; pickles, 9c; 1 lb. rubbed sage, 10c; 1 lb. pepper, 15c; 25 nutmegs, 5c. J. T. D. Pyles' Stores. resolutions were signed by William D. programme of music and games was phy, Samuel F. McCully, W. D. Clark, and Charles T. Smith, composing the executive committee of the plate printers' union. I ask you to note that in these resolutions the committee expressed their fhanks to Mr. Cannon for past efforts or assistance in securing legislation beneficial to labor. There was not a line or word in the resolutions, or in the talk, or in the remarks of the committee presenting them, which expressed any hope or desire on the part of the plate printers that Mr. Cannon should make any promise or do anything for them in the future.
"In your 'statement of facts,' in the
American Federationist for January, how-

ever, you' state 'A committee of plate will be present, and spe printers of Washington called upon study extension courses. Speaker Cannon on December 7, 1907, and asked his support of a bill for a new building in which the 1,500 employes, men and women, white and colored, in the on Christmas Day while making calls Bureau of Engraving and Printing, might To-day at the Sign of the Fox, 724 17th with his fiancee, was held from the rest- have the opportunity of performing their st, nw. Especially attractive menu. dence of his sister, Mrs. George E. How- work with less likelihood of ill-health and ard, 2106 N street northwest, yesterday death resulting therefrom, as is the case afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Dr. W. C. In the building now occupied by them." "It was the occasion of the plate print-

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ers' appeal for a place to work where labor vote against him. So far he has health and life destroying atmosphere, made little if any impression on the that Hon, Joseph G. Cannon must needs Speaker's following, but the Speaker is deliver a lecture to them not to be dicnot the man to keep quiet when he is tated to by 'that man Gompers,' &c., &c. attacked. He fights back, and with ef- Would it be interesting to Hon. Joseph G. Cannon to know that, recognizing the Yesterday Mr. Busbey, with the ap- awful fetid atmosphere in which the men "Dear Sir: In your editorial on 'Speaker the committee to call on him (Cannon number of the American Federationist, that perhaps he might be moved to take

"If, as you say, Mr. Gompers suggested or any act but which would redound to I think they were of that class which you "My last public utterance upon that lifting her from the track just as the this large and growing class that would come at the suggestion of President Gomubject was in a newspaper interview on train rushed by. Eyewitneses of the af- scorn to do a dishonest or dishonorable pers, they would have carried out his in-

They speak for themselves, and if you will read the stenographic report I think "Not having immediate supervision of the Interstate Commerce Commission, actthe police department, I have not had the initiative in directing its operations, recommended that McGrath be awarded a place, and the local papers printed a full was your report as to who inspired the account of that meeting, including the call of the committee, and the purpose of resolutions presented and a full transcript their call. May I also suggest that you

"Very respectfully,
"L. WHITE BUSBEY. "Secretary to the Speaker.

of Missions.

ranged for Monday, January 6. by Mr. Percy S. Foster.

In co-operation with the various interominational missionary movements the Columbian College (George Washington University) announces four university extension courses in the study o Christian missions, to be conducted by nember of the faculty. Each course will ccupy an hour each week for eight weeks. The subjects and teachers for

these courses will be: I. "Aliens or Americans." Prof. Day. 2. "The challenge of the city," Prof. Veditz.

3. "Gloria Christi: Outline study of issions and social progress," Miss Ellis. 4. "The uplift of China," Prof. Wilbur, The desirability of such study is appreciated by those who see the strategic rolling sociological, economic, and political relations, and by those who ac ept, simply, the commission to "teach

A social and watch-night service was held at Ninth Street Christian Church last Tuesday night under the auspices of the Christian Endeavor Society. During the social hour an interesting

greatly enjoyed.

The watch-night service began at 11 and was led by Miss Virginia Raymond in an mpressive manner. Silent prayer began at 11:55 and the ervice concluded by the audience sing-

ing "Nearer, My God, to Thee." The union meeting, Monday, January 6,

will be an exceptional one. Mr. Percy S. Foster will give an illustrated musical lecture, which will be instructive as well as intensely interesting. Members of music committees and officers are urged to be present. Endeavorers and friends are most cordially invited to be present. It is desired that Endeavored Hymnals be brought. Dean Wilbur, of Georgetown University

will be present, and speak of the missic Miss Clara C. Parkinson, superintendent

of the missionary department, is gradually recovering from a severe illness N. F. McAllister, assistant secretary, is

out of the city for a vacation

A board meeting was held Friday even

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